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MEMORANDUM FOR: Acting Director of Central Intelligence

FROM:

Chief, DCI Interagency Balkan Task Force

SUBJECT:

Principals' Committee Meeting on Bosnia

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- 1. Today's Principals' Committee meeting will focus on the situation around Bihac and the status of Nunn-Mitchell implementation. There are no papers for the meeting and we have not yet received a formal agenda.
  - -- You probably will be expected to lead off the meeting with the latest information on the situation around Bihac and our assessment of what is likely to happen next.

The INTEL UPDATE TAB includes talking points on these issues and there are 20 page-size maps of the Bihac area inside the cover of this book.

- 2. Principals' will be concerned about how to prevent further Serb advances on Bihac and, specifically, the fall of the enclave. The Administration is still pressing for the establishment of a 10-kilometer exclusion zone around the city, but with only minimal success so far. There also is concern downtown about the extent of Krajina Serb involvement in the Serb offensive. Indeed, we assess that the Bosnian V Corps' biggest problem at the moment is pressure from the Krajina Serbs and former Abdic supporters against the northern part of the enclave.
  - -- UNPROFOR still claims to have no evidence that Krajina Serb forces have entered Bosnia, and JCS seemed to accept this position at yesterday's IWG teleconference.
  - -- In our view, there is no doubt the Krajina Serbs are involved. The RSK SUPPORT TAB includes a compilation of our evidence,

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4. I will accompany you to the meeting and serve as otetaker.	
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